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OBSCURE? — Demonstrating a new takeoff technique that reportedly makes runways obsolete, this Russian jet plane is being launched by means of a rocket set under its tail. Propelled by the rocket, the plane can take off from any terrain. The rocket will fall away when the plane reaches a certain height. — NEA Telephoto

University to Install Radio Telescope

ANN ARBOR, Mich. (AP) — The University of Michigan announced today it will start construction in June of a radio telescope that will trace the sun by day and receive signals from outer space by night.

The 100-foot tall telescope will be erected atop Peach Mountain, 16 miles northwest of here.

Astronomy Prof. Fred T. Haddock said the instrument will have a solid dish reflector 85 feet in diameter. He said it will be the second largest steerable radio telescope in the world.

The largest is 250 feet wide located at the University of Manchester in England, Haddock said.

The Peach Mountain telescope, Haddock said, will receive radio waves only a few centimeters long and focus on only three per cent of the sun's surface at a time. "This is fine detail and will put us far ahead in the field," he said.

He said the complete facility will cost \$300,000. Most of the money is being supplied by the Office of Naval Research.

Haddock said the telescope will hear the "faint whispers from the moon, planets, galaxies millions of light years away, turbulent gas clouds, radio stars" and other sources, some possibly beyond the range of the best optical telescopes."

He said such signals are produced by the interaction of electrons with atomic particles or magnetic fields. They yield data about the regions from which they originate, said Haddock.

Phone Workers Have Voted to Strike

NEW YORK (AP) — Long distance telephone workers in 42 states and the District of Columbia have voted to strike at midnight today, a union spokesman said today.

"The vote is definitely for a strike," said Miss Elaine T. Gleason, national director of the Long Lines' District Communications Workers of America.

She said final results of the nationwide vote will not be known until later today (3 p.m. CST).

The contract between the American Telephone and Telegraph Co. and the union ends at midnight. A strike would involve about 25,500 Bell System employees. They are mostly traffic operators and plant craftsmen who maintain long distance equipment.

A company spokesman said yesterday that if strike is called the company will attempt to maintain services by using supervisory personnel.

A CWA spokesman said the principal points of disagreement are a general wage increase and a request by management for a no-strike clause.

A company official yesterday called progress of the negotiations "encouraging," claiming agreement has been reached on "over 90 per cent of geographical areas" involved.

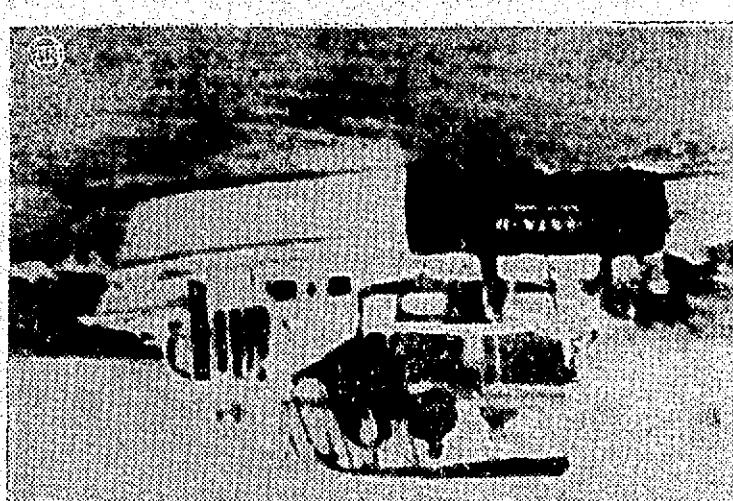
Arkansas Girls Cotton Maid Finalist

MEMPHIS (AP) — A Fayetteville beauty will be one of the 20 finalists trying for the Miss of Cotton crown tonight. She is Carolyn Clark.

Judges will interview the entrants from cotton producing states and make preliminary decisions during the day. The winner will be chosen in a late evening ceremony.

The contest winner will make an international tour to promote the cotton industry and will receive an all cotton wardrobe and a new automobile.

Miss Clark is Arkansas' only entrant.



TAKEN OVER BY "PIRATES" — This is the 40-foot yacht "Giesta" being held by Richard Sims of Winter Park, Fla., which was commanded by three teen-age "pirates" who held Sims, his wife, and four children captive over night. The three boys, reportedly from respected San Antonio, Texas, families, boarded the yacht at Craig Key, south of Islamorada, Fla., and planned to head for Mexico. A message slipped to a fisherman alerted authorities, who boarded the boat and captured the trio. — NEA Telephoto

175 Cotton Producers Meet Here

More than 175 cotton producers attended the county-wide cotton meeting yesterday morning in the county courtroom.

Cotton production practices from land selection through ginning and marketing must be considered to help meet the cost price squeeze.

Johnson, the Senate Democratic leader, heads the subcommittee which will resume Monday its public inquiry into U.S. missile and satellite developments. Secretary of Defense McElroy and his deputy Donald A. Quarles are expected to be among the first witnesses.

McElroy testified previously the greatest single stumbling block to getting missiles into production was the limitation on overtime work on development projects. He said he had removed the limitation.

"We got some quick action on this overtime matter," Johnson said. In an interview, "We are making progress toward our primary goal, which is to substitute action in the Defense Department for the tranquilizers that have been handed the American people in a time of crisis."

Merchant Is Shot Accidentally

HOLLY GROVE, Ark. (AP) — A 47-year-old businessman was killed yesterday when his 12-gauge shotgun fired accidentally while he was in a boat on a duck hunting trip. The victim was E. L. Riner, a Holly Grove dry goods merchant.

State Income Tax Payments Sadly Lagging

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Many Arkansas farmers have not paid their second half state income taxes which were due in November. Revenue Commissioner J. Orville Cheney reported yesterday.

Figures released by Cheney revealed that income tax collections for the last half of 1957 amounted to \$4,508,115.35, well under the \$5,025,307.44 collected in the last half of 1956.

Cheney attributed much of the decline to farmers who, he said, paid their first tax installment in May but were having difficulty making the November payment.

Calling this an evidence of heavy rains had on Arkansas crops in 1957, Cheney remarked: "A lot of state income tax money is standing in water-logged fields."

The new income tax law, which applied to 1957 incomes, provides a different method of computing the tax. Those in the \$5,000 to \$10,000 bracket will bear the largest percentage boost in taxes.

Altogether, Cheney said, the state collected a total of \$63,785,807 in taxes of every kind during the last half of 1957. This compares to \$64,901,434 for a similar period in 1956.

Practically all of the increase was attributed to the raising of Arkansas' state sales tax from two to three per cent.

The sales tax produced \$24,214,062 from July 1 — start of the fiscal year — to Nov. 30. In a was attributed to the raising of corresponding period of 1956, the sales tax brought in \$16,000,038.

Exact figures on sales tax collections in December are not yet available because merchants get until Jan. 20 to turn in the money.

Also affected by the damaging rains of 1957 were the state's timber severance tax collections. They totaled \$26,037, compared to \$54,443 in a similar fiscal period of 1956.

Otherwise, the tax picture for the last half of 1957 remained about the same as the previous year.

Cheney predicts a slump in revenues during the next six months. The collection figures released yesterday included:

Special revenues — earmarked for specific purposes — \$24,925,320 for last half of 1957, compared with \$24,456,852 for last half of 1956.

General revenues — such as sales \$30,435,591 for last half of 1956; \$38,860,486, compared with Gasoline taxes: \$18,350,081 for last half of 1957, an increase of \$26,000.

December gasoline collections dropped by about \$66,000 but liquor and cigarette taxes showed substantial gains in December.

Asks U. S. to Give Hospital to the State

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. McClellan (D-Ark.) plans to introduce a bill under which the federal government would make an outright gift of the 20 million dollar Army-Navy General Hospital to the state of Arkansas.

"I think the state could take the hospital and do something with it," McClellan said yesterday.

The hospital, located at Hot Springs, includes a 9-story building and 28 acres of grounds.

At Little Rock, Ark., a member of the State Hospital board speculated that if the Army-Navy hospital eventually belonged to the state it could be used as a facility for senile patients.

The Arkansas Legislature would determine the future of the hospital if it were turned over to the state.

The Defense Department has been trying to abandon the hospital for five years, but Arkansas congressmen have managed to keep it operating under special bills.

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"I either want the Army to operate the hospital as it should be operated or give it to Arkansas to operate," the senator said.

Old Liberty Church Services Sunday

Services will be held at Old Liberty Methodist Church Sunday, Jan. 6, at 2 p.m. at which time the church school will be held according to Mrs. Mabel Rosenbaum, superintendent. Preaching by the pastor, the Rev. W. C. Onstend, will follow.



Faubus and U. S. Adopt a Wait and See Policy

WASHINGTON (AP) — A top official said today the Justice Department plans to continue its "mark time" policy as to possible federal prosecutions for violence at Little Rock's Central High School last September.

The outbreak occurred in connection with attempts of the local school board to integrate the high school racially. Nine Negro students subsequently gained admission to the school under protection of federal troops. Federal Guardsmen still are on duty there.

In response to an inquiry concerning the situation, Asst. Atty. Gen. William White, head of the department's new Civil Rights Division, said:

"At this time, we have no intention of seeking indictments.

"The primary interest of the Department of Justice is in seeing that the situation resolves itself by the growth of mutual understanding. We do not feel that prosecutions at this time would aid the situation."

An augmented force of FBI agents made an exhaustive investigation into the September disorders and submitted a lengthy

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Polish Scientist Is Granted Asylum in United States

WASHINGTON (AP) — Atty. Gen. Rogers today announced the decision to the West of Dr. Jerzy Leon Nowinski, internationally known Polish scientist.

The attorney general said in a statement at a National Press Club luncheon that Dr. Nowinski, a specialist in thermonuclear energy, was granted asylum in the United States yesterday.

Similar asylum will be granted to his wife, Maria Franciszka, and their daughter, Kristina, both of whom are now in England, Rogers said.

Rogers inserted into an extemporaneous speech a prepared text on the Nowinski case.

He said Nowinski, 52, a native of Czestochowa, Poland, holding a 1st degree of doctor of technical science from Warsaw Technical University, has for the past seven years been a research professor at University of Warsaw. His specialty, thermodynamics, is a field of mathematical theory involving the stress and strains on metals and other materials under varying temperature conditions.

Knowledge in that field is particularly valuable in dealing with the problems of air friction heat encountered in jet aviation, rocketry, and in handling the extreme temperatures of nuclear reactions.

Dr. Nowinski was described as being more familiar with Russian work in this field than most U. S. scientists. He has published more than 60 articles on the subject.

Two Infants Die in House Fire

PINE BLUFF, Ark. (AP) — An early morning fire took the lives of two Negro infants and seriously burned their mother on the outskirts of Pine Bluff today.

Dead were 2-year-old Vernon Washington, and 14-month-old Ramona Washington.

The mother, Easa Washington, 23, suffered serious burns trying vainly to rescue her children. The father had just left for work when the blaze, of undetermined origin, was discovered.

The fire destroyed the frame dwelling.

New Civil Rights Group to Study Touchy Issue

By DOUGLAS B. CORNELL
WASHINGTON (AP) — With a send-off from President Eisenhower, the new Civil Rights Commission embarks today on a 20-month study of the nation's touchy racial problems.

On the commission are three Southerners and three Northerners—one of the latter a Negro. To them, Congress assigned the difficult job of finding and treadng some sort of middle ground on racial and rights problems, then coming up with some kind of constructive report and recommendation by Sept. 9, 1959.

The big question is whether the commission can produce something the North can accept and the South can tolerate.

One immediate need is to find a staff director, who will be chief administrative officer and shopkeeper for the commission at a salary of \$22,500 a year. The President will make the appointment after talking it over with the commission. The staff director's nomination, like those of the commission members, is subject to Senate confirmation.

The commission is a product of a compromise civil rights law Congress enacted in late August—the first legislation in this controversial field in some 80 years.

Largely, the commission was set up as a fact-finding, study and advisory agency.

Chairman of the commission is John A. Hannah, president of Michigan State University.

The Negro is J. Ernest Wilkins, assistant secretary of labor for international affairs. The third Northerner is the Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, president of the University of Notre Dame.

The three Southerners are all lawyers. Two of them, John S. Battle of Charlottesville, Va., and Doyle E. Carlton of Tampa, Fla., formerly were governors of their states. Robert G. Storck, the third, is dean of Southern Methodist University's law school.

Weather

Experiment Station report for 24 hours ending at 7 a.m. Friday, High 50, Low 23.

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Students here will be unhappy to recall that today is the last of the Christmas holidays... back to school as usual on Monday, Jan. 6, with all schools operating on regular full-time schedules.

Arkansas - Louisiana Gas Company has bought out the Pitts & Bryant Co., Inc., a pipeline and utility construction company and officers of the Ark-La subsidiary includes A. A. Halbert of Hope, vice president.

All Around Town

By The Star Staff

It was not a New Year's resolution I luckily happened to have the money left from Christmas... so I figured to get the auto license early this year while the Revenue office wasn't too busy... as it turned out yesterday was one of the busiest days in the history of the local office... they issued about 250 plates and around 300 driver's license.

The putter is a copy of a club road map and placed on the market. Proceeds from the club's sale will be used to help him finance his war against juvenile delinquency.

The 45 year old bachelor who became interested in delinquency problems when "I realized I might have become a juvenile delinquent myself" plans to build through his foundation, golf courses at this country's correctional institutions. He says youths committed there can learn to become caddies and later earn a living in golf.

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White House Gets 200 New Books

WASHINGTON (AP) — Representatives of the nation's booksellers came to the White House today bearing gifts—200 new books for the presidential library.

The titles ranged over a wide list of subjects from science to children's books. There were no real Westerns, for which President Eisenhower has a liking. But there was a volume by Tommy Amour: "How to play your best golf all the time."

In the collection, too, were the memoirs of former President Harry Truman and a three-volume biography of the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Every four years since 1929, the booksellers have been adding to the White House library. The presentation was made today by Lt. Joseph Houlihan of Lexington Ky., president of the Assn. of Booksellers. He was accompanied by his young son, Thomas.

The books were received on behalf of the President by Eisenhower's scientific adviser, Dr. James R. Killian.

Killian caught sight of "Atomic Conquest" by Arthur Holley Compton, and remarked: "Nice to see that one."

Queen Honors Trio on New Years List

LONDON (UPI) — Queen Elizabeth II honored a Negro boxing champion, a ballet dancer and a scientist today in her annual New Year's honors list.

Morgan (Kid) Bassey, 25 year old world featherweight champion, was made a member of the Order of the British Empire. He is a Nigerian who came to England six years ago.

She also bestowed the Order of Commander of the British Empire on ballerina Alicia Markova and sculptress Barbara Hepworth and the highest feminine order, Dame of the British Empire, to novelist Rose Macaulay.

She bestowed knighthood on William R. J. Cook, the scientist who commanded forward operations in Britain's Christmas Island hydrogen bomb tests last summer. Cook, 52, is deputy director of the Atomic Energy Authority's atomic weapons research establishment.

The Queen presented the rank of office of the Order of the British Empire to another sports figure, Dan Rees, captain of the British Ryder Cup team that took the golf trophy away from the United States for the first time in 24 years.

In all the Queen named 108 persons prominent in public affairs, business, the arts, science, education and sports. Mostly it was a routine list despite recent discreet criticism in the press that royal accolades had become overly dull.

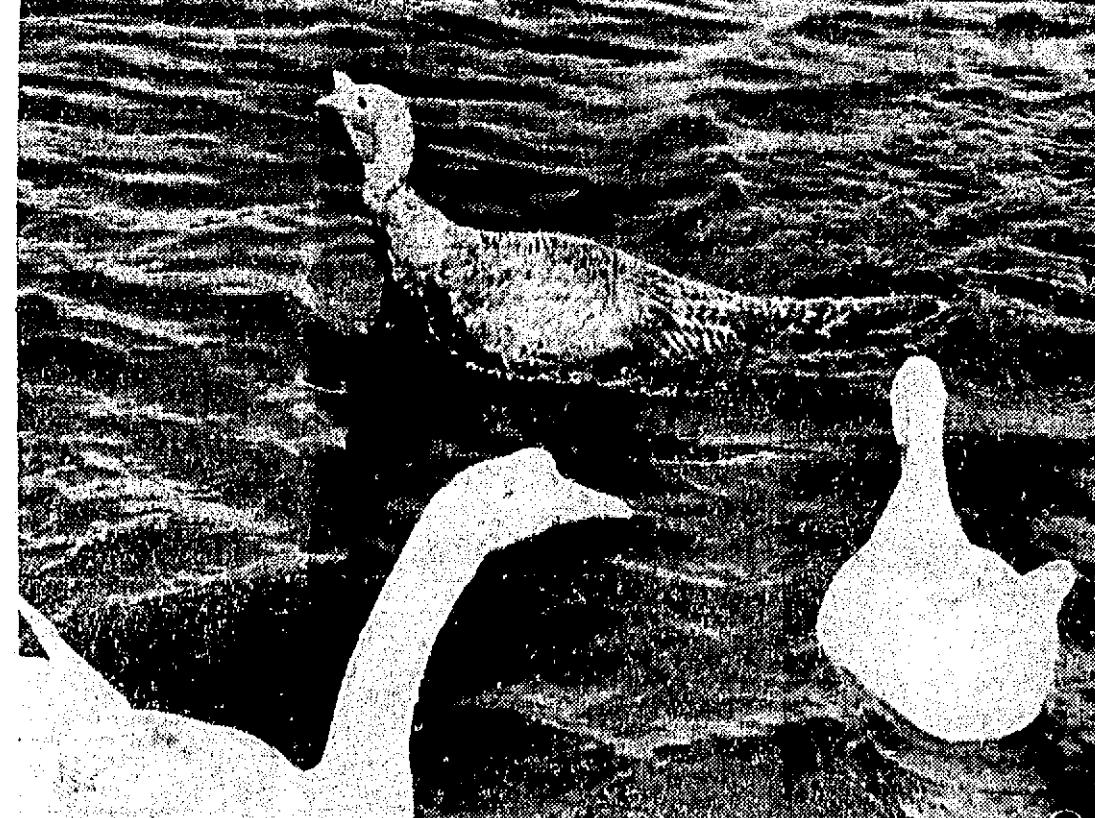
Missouri Closes Hunting Season

JEFFERSON CITY (AP) — Missouri's 70-day waterfowl hunting season shuts down at sunset tonight, ending what Conservation Commission specialists called "one of the best hunting periods in recent years."

Missouri hunters also had generally good success in the quail season that ended Tuesday.

Best of the waterfowl hunting again was in the northern half of the state. Ducks and geese migrated south in several well-spaced flights and commission field men estimated there were about half a million birds in the state throughout most of the season.

Hunting success in the southwestern part of the state declined because of a reduction in



FOWL MIX-UP—Although the song says that fish gotta swim and birds gotta fly, there's nothing like an ambitious turkey to foul things up. Turkeys generally keep away from deep water, but this unusual bird is the exception to the rule. The gay gobbler has a fine line as he cruises with some friendly white geese at a fish camp near Jacksonville, Fla.



Modeled, above, are winning entries in the National Cotton Bag Sewing Contest held recently in Memphis, Tenn. Homemaker, center, wears multicolored polka dot dress made by first prize winner Mrs. Fred Sowers, Winston-Salem, N. C. Model's daughter, left, wears white, starched dress stitched by Mrs. Carl Arntson, Columbia Heights, Minn., third-prize winner. At right is shown tailored, tucked blue dress which helped Mrs. Harold Vestal, Niangua, Mo., to win second prize. Other items on table are among the many prize-winning creations chosen from entries submitted by homemakers.

Church Announcements

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

701 South Main Street
Rev. L. T. Lawrence, D. D. Minister

Sunday

9:30 a. m. Coffee Hour for Men's Bible Class.

10 a. m. Lesson Guest speaker, Attorney John L. Wilson.

President, Thell Joplin; pianist, Dr. J. W. Branch.

10:00 a. m. Sunday School — Crit Shari Jr., Superintendent.

10 a. m. Women's Bible Class Mrs. Dorsey McRae, teacher; Mrs. Tom Compton, President; Pianist, Mrs. Arthur Wimmen.

10:55 a. m. Morning Worship Children's sermon "Why Were You Born?"

Sermon "Behold," Solo "Say A Little Prayer" by Tena Pillington.

4 p. m. Session Meeting in the Chapel.

5 p. m. Vesper Service Subject "The Unfinished Talk"

Special music "Follow the Gleam"

6 p. m. P. Y. P. will meet at the church for supper, Dennis Paddle will lead the Senior High Fellowship; Mary Gail McRae will lead the Pioneers.

Mondays

7 p. m. Adult Choir Practice.

Tuesday

10 a. m. Executive Board Meeting of the Women of the Church.

Wednesday

6:30 p. m. Potluck Supper followed by the Annual Congregational

MEETING

Saturday

10 a. m. Junior Choir Practice.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

Ave. B and North Elm

Christian Science services are held each Sunday morning at 11 in the new Woodmen of the World Building. On corner of Ave. B and North Elm. Sunday School at 9:30.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Walnut Street

S. R. Tipton, Minister

Sunday

"Let The Bible Speak" KXAR

7:45 a. m.

9:45 a. m. Bible Class

10:45 a. m. Morning Worship

7:30 p. m. Evening Worship

Wednesday

8:25-8:55 a. m. Unity Gospel Hour KXAR.

9:45 a. m. Sunday School

Supt., Bro. Jesse McAdam

11 a. m. Morning Worship

6:30 p. m. B. T. S.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

5th and Grady Street

W. T. Hines, Minister

Sunday

10 a. m. Bible School for all ages

Precaching at 10:45 to 11:35 a.m.

11:45 a. m. Lord's Supper

11:30 p. m. Young Peoples Class

Precaching and Lord's supper at 7 to 8 p. m.

7 p. m. Prayer Meeting

You are welcome to all services

GOSPEL LIGHT HOUSE

Pentecostal Faith

Andres and Ave. C

Easy Home, Pastor

2:15 a. m. Sunday School

Clayborn Home, Sup.

11 a. m. Morning worship

6:30 p. m. Gospel Light Beacons service. Miss Sara Key in charge

7:30 p. m. Evening Worship

Sermon by Pastor

Wednesday

4 p. m. Corner Club for children

7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting and Bible Study

Everyone is cordially invited

The Lord that trust in the Lord shall

be as Mount Zion which cannot

be removed but uprooted forever

Psalm 121:1-2

CATHOLIC CHURCH

2nd and Walker

Father Joseph Enderlin, Pastor

Mass at 10:30

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

West Second at Pine Street

Rev. Virgil D. Kiley, Minister

9:45 a. m. Church School

C. V. Nunn Jr. will teach the Century Bible Class

10:55 a. m. Morning Service

Solo "The Publican" by Volmer Dean Boyd.

Sermon "How to Handle Despair" by Minister

5:30 p. m. Intermediate and Senior MYF

6 p. m. Wesley Club

7 p. m. Evening Service

Special music "Moment By Moment" Crusader Choir.

Sermon "How to Handle Trouble" by Minister

Monday

3 p. m. Circle 1 in the home of Miss Nannie Perkins. Mrs. R. N. Mouser co-hostess.

Circle 2 meets in home of Mrs. Sam Warmack with Mrs. E. M. Rucker, Mrs. W. E. Bailey and Mrs. Aubrey Bailey co-hostesses.

Circle 3 meets with Mrs. H. O. Kyle Sr.

Circle 4 in home of Mrs. Cleve Mayton.

2 p. m. Circle 5 meets in home of Mrs. Bob Thrasher.

7:30 p. m. The Official Board will meet in the Jett B. Graves' Room at the church.

Wednesday

7 p. m. Chapel Choir will meet at the church for practice.

7:30 p. m. Chancel Choir will meet at the church for practice.

7:30 p. m. The Commission on Education will meet at the annex in the church office.

LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH

Rosston Road In City Limits

Eld. Lynn Luck, Pastor

10 a. m. Sunday School

11 a. m. Morning Worship

7 p. m. B. T. C.

8 p. m. Evening Worship

CHURCH OF GOD

J. E. Graves, Pastor

9:45 a. m. Sunday School

11 a. m. Morning Worship

6:30 p. m. Y. P. M.

7:30 p. m. Evening Worship

RISING STAR BAPTIST

Rev. Earl Morgan, Pastor

9:45 a. m. Sunday School

Ambers Dunlap, Supt.

11 a. m. Morning Worship

Preaching — 2nd and 4th Sunday

6 p. m. B. T. U.

7:30 p. m. Evening Worship

GARRET CHAPEL BAPTIST

Rev. F. R. Williams, Pastor

9:45 a. m. Sunday School

L. C. Wyatt, Supt.

11 a. m. Morning Worship

6:30 p. m. B. T. U.

9:30 p. m. Baptist Hour over Station KXAR.

CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

Eld. O. N. Dennis, Pastor

9:45 a. m. Sunday School

11 a. m. Morning Worship

6:30 p. m. Evening Worship

7:30 p. m. Mid Week Service

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

SOCIETY

Phone 7-3431 Between 8 A.M. and 4 P.M.

Calendar

Friday, January 3

The Rose Garden Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Grady Burton on the Rooston Road Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Mrs. Paul McClellan as co-hostess.

Intermediate Sunday School Class of Unity Baptist Church will meet Friday night at 7:30 at the Experiment Station.

Young People's Department of the First Baptist Church, Mrs. Aubrey Albritton, superintendent.

2 BIG 1958 THRILLERS Today & Sat.

DEEP IN THE ANTARCTIC WILDERNESS

The Land Unknown

CINEMASCOPE

STARRING JUCH MAHONEY

SHAWN SMITH-WILLIAM REYNOLDS

A UNIVERSAL INTERNATIONAL PICTURE

PLUS

Apache Warrior

A REGALSCOPE PICTURE

Regal Film Production, Inc. - Released by 20th Century Fox

LATE SHOW SATURDAY

11:00 p.m.

In a Terror Land! 50 Ft. High Giant

THE CYCLOPS

Starring JAMES CRAIG

Super Shockorama For 1958

more than anything the human eye has ever seen

ALL SEATS . . . 50c

SAEGER

Ain't We Told You . . . They Would Be Bigger & Better

In "58"! Get More Out Of Life This Year . . . Go Out To A Movie



**CARY GRANT
JAYNE MANSFIELD · PARKER**

KISS THEM FOR ME
CINEMASCOPE
COLOR BY DELUXE
IN THE ORDER OF STEREOPHONIC SOUND

STARTS SUNDAY

Saenger

Hal Hoyle

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tions from the banner of the impossibly perfect life. The few who do adhere to their resolutions throughout the year improve their character, and are better for it, but as long as everybody doesn't follow their example the nation is safe.

But what if everybody resolved at the same time to go on the water wagon, save his money, buy nothing except for cash, and then only what he actually really needed? The American economy would crash in three months, and by 1959 we'd all have to take in each other's washing to earn a living.

What if every office Milquetoast in the land decided at the same time to be firm and decisive? There'd be so many wrong decisions made no business could endure.

What if everyone in America decided on the same day never to say another unkind word to anybody, no matter what the provocation? With nobody having any hurt feelings none of us would have any reason for self-pity. In three weeks we'd all run shrieking into the woods out of sheer boredom.

What if every husband pledged himself to bring fresh flowers home to his wife once a week in 1958? In 10 weeks, half the wives from Manhattan to Los Angeles would be bed-ridden with acute cases of suspicion. The other half would be sitting in the anterooms of detective agencies, waiting to hire a private eye to check up on the family breadwinner.

What if every wife would simultaneously — ? Well, never mind that worry. The imagination cannot conceive a situation in which all women behaved the same way at the same time.

To greatest safeguard of civilization

the greatest safeguard of civilization

do the same thing at the same time — even during our present purity binge.

The best thing to do if you have a friend in the grip of an impossible self-improvement crusade is to send him a get-well card, and wait for nature to take its course. When it's all over, everybody will feel better.

Tells of Offer to Dynamite a School

NASHVILLE, Tenn., (AP) — Detectives here said today an ex-convict has told them an unidentified man once offered him \$500 to help dynamite the racially integrated high school at Clinton, Tenn.

Detective Lt. R. F. White said Edward Cline, 41, told officers he declined the man's offer.

White and other Nashville detectives questioned Cline yesterday at Clinton where Cline is being held on a charge of conspiracy to dynamite the east Tennessee town's high school.

The Nashville officers are checking on a possible link between the September dynamiting of integrated Hattie Cotton Elementary School here and the alleged conspiracy to bomb Clinton High.

The vows were pledged Nov. 10, 1957 in the Bowmar Avenue Baptist Church at Vicksburg, Mississippi. Lt. White is stationed at Fort Benning, Georgia.

Miss Aileen Jester Engagement

And Approaching Marriage Told Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Jester of Patmos announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Elsie Aileen, to Al Williams, son of Mrs. Jett Williams and the late Jett Williams of Hope.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Patmos High School and Wayne

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Miss Sue Burke Complimented With Kitchen Shower

Miss Sue Burke, bride elect of James H. Roe of Dallas, Texas, was honored with a Kitchen Shower Saturday afternoon, Dec. 28 by Miss Judy Watkins in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Watkins.

Miss Burke wore an angora trim-

med lime wool sheath on which she pinned the debutante camellia corsage given her by the hostess.

Seasonal decorations were pro-

minent throughout the Watkins home. Centering the tea table was a brass scale containing red grapes and purple dawn camellias. Clusters of grapes and camellias on each end of the beam accented the rope of green beads draping the scales and caught at the mar-

ble base by a single camellia.

Mrs. W. A. G. Woodward Jr. and Mrs. Fred Glaston, sisters of Miss Burke, assisted the hostess and her mother in serving cakes and tea.

Twenty three friends were pre-

sent to enjoy the opening of the lovely gifts with the honoree.

Among them were Mrs. Jeane C. Burke and Mrs. James H. Burke of De Ann and Mrs. Woodward of Magnolia.

Births

Airman J. and Mrs. Donald L. Hollis of Chatteauroux, France announced the arrival of a baby boy, Donald Earl, born Dec. 27, 1957.

The grandparents are Mr. and

Mrs. Burgess Hollis of Patmos

and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lester of

Holope.

Lehman Orders Carload of Maytag Washers



This picture made yesterday in front of Lehman Auto & Home Supply, Inc., Mason D. Brown, left, regional manager for the Maytag Company, receiving an order for a carload of Maytag washers and dryers from Ralph Lehman owner of the S. Main St. appliance firm.

Faubus and U.S.

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report to Justice officials. The inquiry was to determine if there had been a conspiracy to obstruct justice by preventing the carrying out of a federal court integration decree.

The FBI report never has been made public.

Justice Department officials have indicated that if further disorders occur, involving the same persons, the department would take another look at its "mark time" policy.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. — Gov. Orval Faubus says he is waiting to see if the federal government changes its attitude on school integration before he decides whether to call a special legislative session to deal with the issue.

The governor said yesterday that there would be no reason for a special session if the government takes a new look at the problem and slows down school integration.

Nine Negro students are enrolled at Little Rock Central High School, focal point of the integration crisis here. They attend classes under the protection of federalized Arkansas National Guardsmen.

The Little Rock School Board was ordered by U. S. District Court to start integration last fall. Faubus said recently that he thought the board ought to consider going back into federal court to seek a delay in integration.

He made that statement after an appellate court permitted a delay in school integration at Dallas.

Earlier this week the school here told its attorneys to study the Dallas decision but it gave no indication of what course will be pursued.

Good News for Rice Growers

WASHINGTON, D.C. — The Agriculture Department predicted today that grower prices of 1957 crop rice will average around \$5 a hundredweight. That would be about 30 cents above the department's price support rate.

Last year's crop brought prices averaging \$4.88 or 29 cents above the support rate. The department said that except in 1951 and 1954, the season average prices have exceeded the support levels in every year since the support programs were started in 1941. For most years, this was the result, the agency said, of a strong export demand.

Miss Sue Burke Complimented With Kitchen Shower

Miss Sue Burke, bride elect of James H. Roe of Dallas, Texas, was honored with a Kitchen Shower Saturday afternoon, Dec. 28 by Miss Judy Watkins in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Watkins.

Miss Burke wore an angora trim-

med lime wool sheath on which she pinned the debutante camellia corsage given her by the hostess.

Seasonal decorations were pro-

minent throughout the Watkins home. Centering the tea table was a brass scale containing red grapes and purple dawn camellias. Clusters of grapes and camellias on each end of the beam accented the rope of green beads draping the scales and caught at the mar-

ble base by a single camellia.

Mrs. W. A. G. Woodward Jr. and

Mrs. Fred Glaston, sisters of Miss Burke, assisted the hostess and her mother in serving cakes and tea.

Twenty three friends were pre-

sent to enjoy the opening of the lovely gifts with the honoree.

Among them were Mrs. Jeane C. Burke and Mrs. James H. Burke of De Ann and Mrs. Woodward of Magnolia.

Births

Airman J. and Mrs. Donald L. Hollis of Chatteauroux, France announced the arrival of a baby boy, Donald Earl, born Dec. 27, 1957.

The grandparents are Mr. and

Mrs. Burgess Hollis of Patmos

and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lester of

Holope.

Only 55 Polio in State Post Year

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. — Only 55 cases of polio were reported in Arkansas this year compared to 222 in 1956. The State Board of Health said today.

In 1957 there were 23 cases of paralytic and 30 cases of non-paralytic polio. Three deaths occurred during the year, the Board said.

The figures for 1956 were 146

paralytic and 100 non-paralytic and 11 deaths.

DOROTHY DIX Baby Is First Responsibility Let Your Husband Go to Work

not have been so pleasant, either.

Dear Dorothy Dix: Since we are the only two girls in the neighborhood we're treated as part of the gang by all the boys. We play football, basketball and hockey with them, and are treated like sisters. If they ask us to go out it's not thought of as a date. What can we do to make them realize that we are girls, too?

DRUNSTRATED DUO Dear Girls: Even if it's not officially considered a date, if the boys ask you out that's what it is. Be as feminine as all get-out when they escort you to the show, party or dance. Make it a date, even if it didn't start out as one.

Remember the song "The Girl That I Marry"? Well, it holds many cues for you, too.

Dear Linda: The baby comes first. His health and welfare now supersede your husband's education, your comforts and conveniences. Stay home with your child, borrow money for your husband's schooling or have him finish the course at night, getting a job during the day. Your parents may be well intentioned, but they certainly wouldn't carry out the doctor's orders.

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Dear Dorothy Dix: Fred and I are engaged. Recently we had occasion to visit a town 100 miles away. My cousin was invited to the same get-together. She assumed we would drive up with Fred and me, but he didn't ask her. She had to go by train and has been very cool and stand-offish to me ever since. Who was wrong in this case and what could have been done to save the situation?

PUZZLED

Dear Puzzled: Your fiance, Fred, is a bitingly poor. By all the rules of common decency he should have asked your cousin to drive with you. You are the secondary offendee. It was your place to suggest that he ask her to go along. After all, hasn't the brains of an ox. I don't wonder your cousin is sore, but she might consider that a trip to two households people implication.

ELVIS PRESLEY

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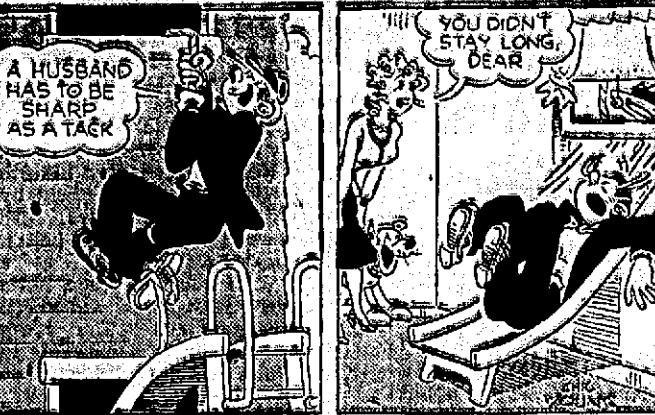
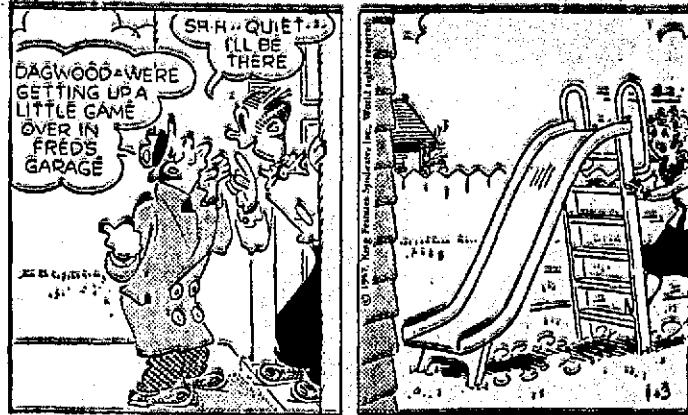
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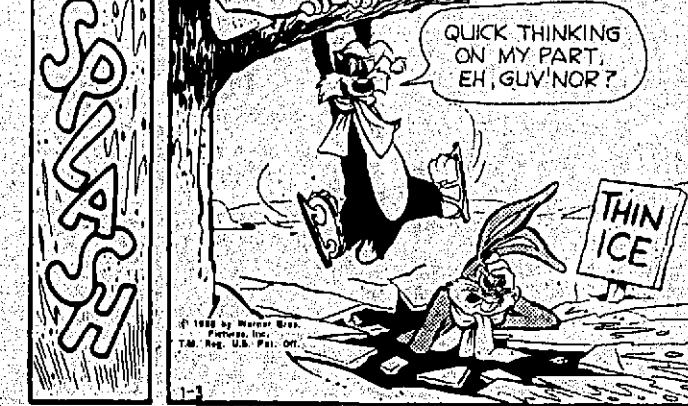
By Al Vermeer

SIDE GLANCES



By Golbraith

BUGS BUNNY



Answer to Previous Puzzle

Common Sayings

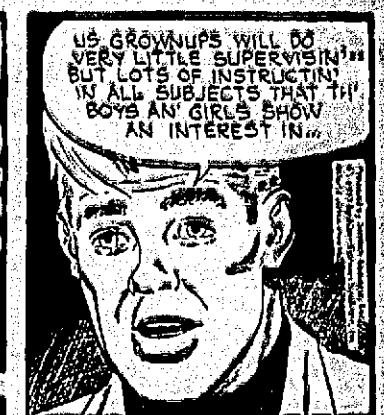
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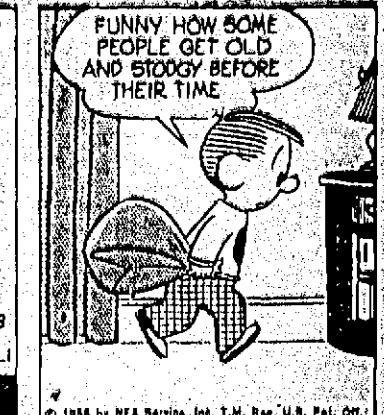
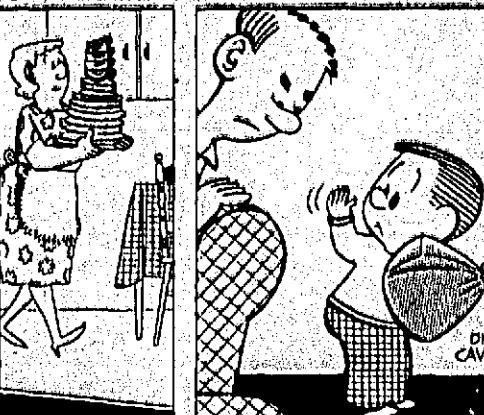
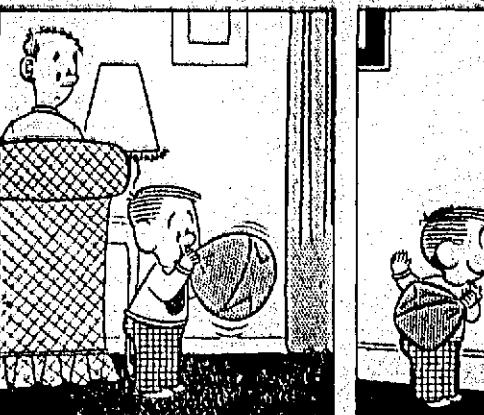
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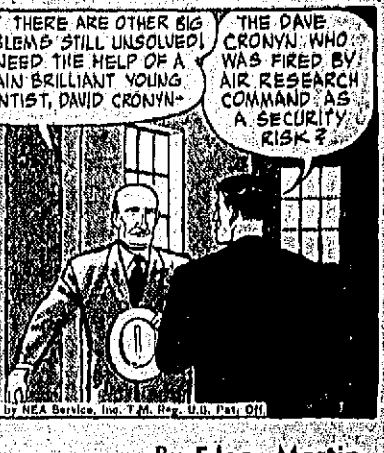
By Ed Strong

MORTY MEERLE



By Dick Cavallini

WASH TUBBS



THE DAVE CRONYN PROBLEMS STILL UNSOLVED. CRONYN WHO WAS FIRED BY AIR RESEARCH COMMAND AS A SECURITY RISK.

By Leslie Turner

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



WHAT A STORY!

By Edgar Martin

ALLEY OOP



...IF THEY'VE LANDED ANYTHING MORE SUBSTANTIAL THAN A RUMOR, WELL, SEND YOU A PICTURE OF IT!

YES, BUT DON'T AND THERE'S FORGET THEY A RUMOR BEAT US WITH THE SPUTNIKS!

YEH? WELL, LET ME TELL YOU BOYS SLUMPIN...

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Explorer's Wife Studies Geography

By DOROTHY ROE
AP Women's Editor

Studying geography at college comes in handy when you become the wife of an explorer, says Tay Thomas, wife of Lowell Thomas Jr.

The junior Thomases are following in the footsteps of Lowell's famous father, exploring the far corners of the earth together and helping out on production and filming of the current Lowell Thomas TV series *High Adventure*.

"Tay's a great traveler," says Lowell Jr. "We plan to take as many trips together as possible as soon as the children are a little older. Right now our little girl, Anne, is 2 and Lowell III is 6 months."

"We took our greatest trip in 1954—sort of a delayed honeymoon. We took a whole year and traveled all over Africa and the Middle East in our own airplane. We did a little work too filming a TV series called *'Our Flight to Adventure'*."

"We carried sleeping bags and four day's food supply on each leg of the trip. We used the plane for big jumps and then set off on foot to explore the country."

"We took some chances during part of the trip, flying over the Himalaya Mountains, on a course where there were no airways, no radio and no weather reporting, in a single-engine plane. But we were lucky, and Tay said she didn't mind it if I didn't."

Lowell Jr. is former instructor in the Air Force, and still flies his own private plane on lecture tours around the country. He has been well schooled by his adventurous father, having started his globe-trotting career at the age of 15 when Lowell Sr. arranged for him to accompany a movie camera man on a trip to South America with the U.S. Navy in 1939.

Lake Titicaca, largest body of water in South America, belongs partly to Bolivia and partly to Peru.

Legal Notice

NOTICE
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF
HEMPSTEAD COUNTY,
ARKANSAS

IN THE MATTER OF
THE ESTATE OF

F. B. WARD, deceased

Last known address of decedent:

320 West Avenue B, Hope, Arkansas.

Date of death: December 22, 1957.

The undersigned was appointed administrator of the estate of the above-named decedent on the 31st day of December, 1957.

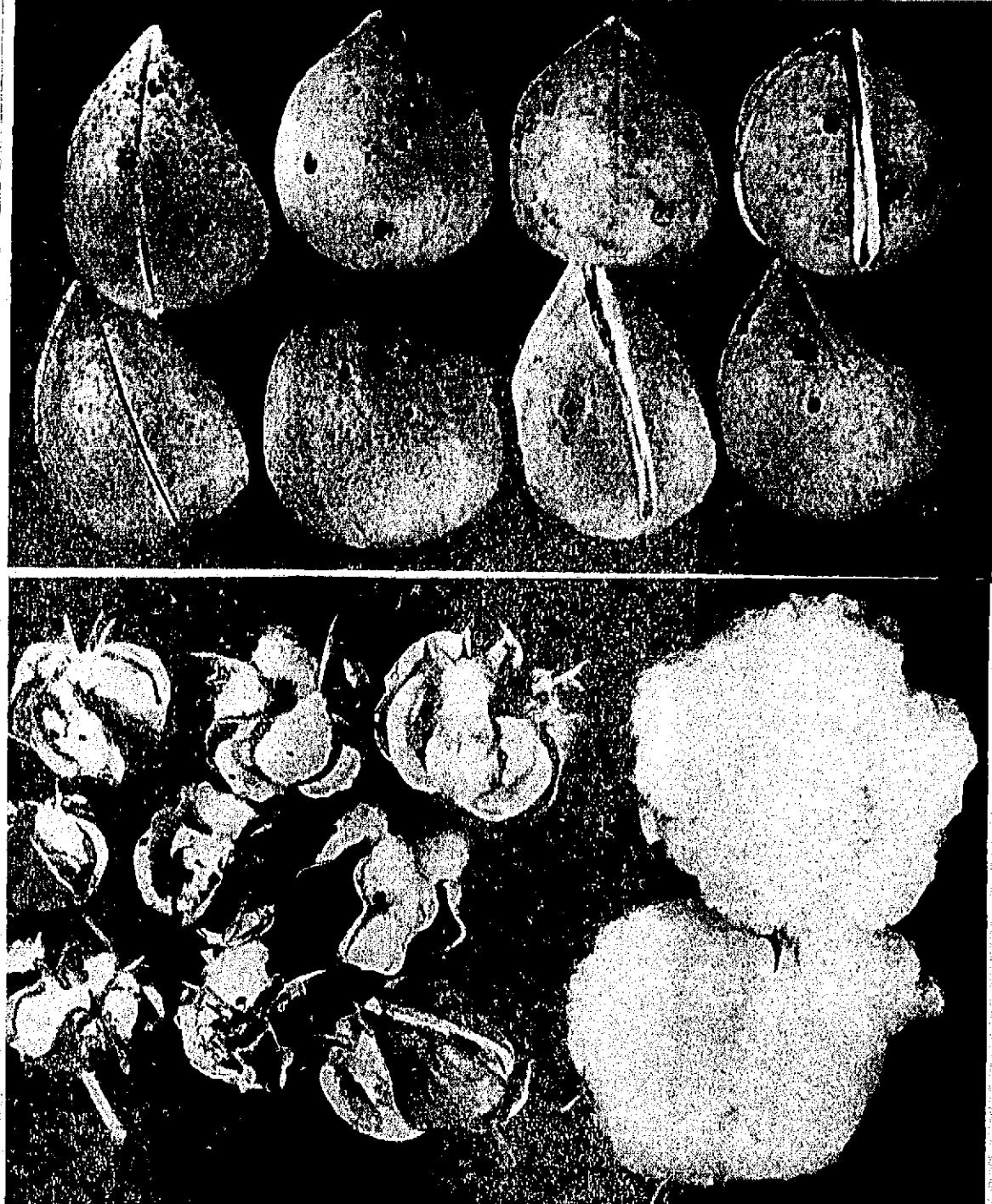
All persons having claims against the estate must exhibit them, duly verified, to the undersigned within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice, or they shall be forever barred and precluded from any benefit in the estate.

This notice first published 3rd day of January, 1958.

ALBERT GRAVES
Administrator
Hope, Arkansas.

Jan 3, 1958

Pink Boll Worm Is a Cotton Killer



JANUARY 31 is the deadline for farmers to destroy all cotton stalks, bolls and locks in this area in accordance with the Arkansas State Plant Board's fight against the Pink Boll worm.

The above pictures show what the boll worm can do. The pink larva enters the green boll (top picture usually at the base as soon as eggs are hatched). The larva feed in the boll until fully developed, a process of two weeks, then leaves the boll through exit holes shown in this picture. In some instances the boll is completely destroyed.

The bottom photo shows damaged bolls and normal bolls. Note exit holes in carpet walls of damaged bolls. For details concerning stalk destruction contact your county agent.

THE EAST SHADOWN
by L. P. HOLMES

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THE STORY: As Ward Sebastian takes his mule train into Yreka, he runs afoul of Provo Holt and Yance McCloud two men he has no use for. Ward was wounded on the trail by another man, not one of the Modoc war veterans who have been attacking settlers.

CHAPTER V
Yance's answer was another cut of the rope and this time it snarled across his shoulders, the impact cold and hurting, even though the thickness of his heavy, blanket-lined coat. Eyes from fatigue and pain and harsh memories, he knew a fresh gust of bitter anger.

He sent his horse sharply ahead and had a mounted figure in front of him. The rope end was swinging again, but this time he was well inside the arc of it and it wrapped harmlessly about his shoulders. Standing high in his stirrups, he threw his anger into the drive of his right fist.

His target was just a dark and moving blur, but the blow landed solidly. Yance McCloud, reeling in his saddle, swung wide as he fought to regain his balance and when he did so he ducked low along his mount, neck and spurting into the clear.

Another rider moved even with Sebastian, driving the remainder of the pack animals ahead of him. Though just a shadow in the gloom there was, thought Sebastian bleakly, no mistaking Provo Holt. For, when you utterly despised a man, and he in turn hated you fanatically, then there was no need to see clearly to know recognition. Invisible currents of feeling could be as certain as sight or sound.

Provo Holt would have ridden by in silence, but Sebastian tossed a question that was a curl challenge.

"You have a man anywhere in the neighborhood of Sheet Iron Butte today, Holt?"

Holt only partially reined up. "If I did, that would be my business, and none of yours."

"Don't be too sure of that, I could be wondering about Jake Ruby."

"What about Jake Ruby?" Provo Holt kept his horse sidling along.

"This," said Sebastian, "When you see him again, and if he's limping, tell him he better head across the mountains, for good! Because I'll be looking for him. If he's limping, mind you!"

To this Provo Holt gave no further answer, and his restless horse carried him on into the night.

The animals cared for, Dan Orcutt and his two men went off about their chores. Sebastian and Sam Lester stood for a little time under the wide overhang of the feed shed.

"Not having cut eyes," said Sam, "I couldn't see that far in the dark. But I heard Yance McCloud cussin' and I heard you warn him about something. Right after which he quit his pussin' sudden as though his wind pipe had been cut. Any thing happen out there by the corral gate? I should know about it."

Sebastian told it briefly. "When he took another cut with the rope and reached me, I bounced my knuckles off his teeth."

"He's become a curvy dog," Sam growled. "Did he hit the bad arm?"

Sebastian's fingers explored gingerly. "Never touched it. Lucky for me. Lucky for him, too, maybe."

They went up Oregon Street which, in spite of the night, the raw wind and the steady rain which had begun to fall again, seethed with activity. Heavy freight and supply wagons, today canvas tops drumming in the wind, lumbered by.

Working their way through the crush Sam Lester made sarcastic comment.

"If it taken all these goings on by the military along with what they already got scattered around back of the later just to cover

Ratings Fail to Bother a Few Programs

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD, CA.—There are a few fortunate TV programs which continue year after year regardless of trends and ratings. The *Bob Cummings Show* is one of these.

Like Ozzie and Harriet and Burns and Allen, Bob's show continues on its merry way without interruption. Next Tuesday he is laughing into his fifth year with the weekly gambol in which he plays a photographer with an eye for the glamor dolls.

There are several reasons for the show's success. Foremost is the fact that Bob is one of the top light comedians in the business. And the show is a clever combo if sex and comedy. Plus which Bob can benefit from the mistakes of his first adventure, a ridiculous caper called "My Hero."

After that show was dropped, it was as dead as you can possibly get in show business," he recalled. "I sat in my agent's office one day and heard a top producer tell him on the phone that nobody would buy me. Being out of work, I accepted the State Department's invitation to go on a good will mission to Argentina."

While he was down there, a top-flight comedy writer, Paul Henning, came up with the idea for a new show for Bob. The idea clicked, and overnight Bob was a hot star again.

"I learned some lessons from 'My Hero,'" he said. "Although the new show was sold in August, I wouldn't go on the air until January when we had a comfortable backlog. We had gone right on TV with 'My Hero' and were constantly on a deadline, so we had to grab at every script that came along, good or bad."

"I also resolved that we wouldn't aim at the kid audience. Sure, it's easy to develop a following that way, but kids are the most fickle audience in the world. Once they drop you, you're finished forever."

"So we aimed at the adults. But strangely enough, we started to develop a strong kid following anyway."

Captain Jack and mebbe 60 Mcgee braves, then, as one of these here noble palefaces I figger I got little to brag about. Matter of fact; I'm getting smaller by the minute."

Sam went along to Molly MacGruder's boarding house, farther up Oregon. Sebastian turned down Miner to a big, square building with a galleried porch reaching all across the front of it.

Sebastian climbed the porch steps, paused short of the door to shake the worst of the wet from himself.

Abruptly two hurrying figures climbed to the shelter of the porch. A girl's bright and breathless laughter lifted, followed by a man's wry comment.

"This may be all stirring adventure to you, Connie, but for a lot of discomfort in a world filled with very foul weather."

The girl laughed again. "Wasn't it field duty both you and Phil were howling for, Jud? Don't tell me you're losing your taste for it already!"

Ward Sebastian followed them into the big combined store and trading post, and at the near end of the counter, laid down his rifle and saddlebags. Several customers were lined at the counter and old Ben Stiles had left his high stool and ledger desk to help Jeff Chesbro take care of them.

The officer and the girl paused a little apart, waiting their turn.

Sebastian shrugged out of his coat, drawing a long breath of relief when finally free of its weight. In maneuvering his left arm he worked with care. Even so his lips tightened under the bite of a sudden twinge of pain.

With bent head and carefully probing fingers he explored the bandanna which bandaged the arm. It was stiffened with dried blood.

To Be Continued

Legal Notice

LEGAL NOTICE
PROBATE COURT NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the following Guardian, Administrators and Executor have filed their Annual and Final Settlements with the Probate Court of Hempstead County, Arkansas, for approval and confirmation, to-wit:

Annual Account of Sybil L. Sherman, Guardian of the Estate of Bruce Shelby Ford, an income tenant filed December 12, 1957.

First and Final Settlement of Mrs. S. F. Wallace, Administrator of the Estate of A. T. Wallace, deceased filed December 14, 1957.

First and Final Settlement of Lester Kent, Administrator of the Estate of Robbie Brink, deceased, filed December 26, 1957.

Annual Account of Jack Dale Pritchett, Executor of the Estate of Henry Oscar Pritchett, deceased, filed December 27, 1957.

And all persons interested in the above named estates are ordered to come forward and file exceptions if any they have within sixty (60) days from the date said settlements were filed, or they will be forever barred from excepting such accounts or any item thereof.

Arnold J. Middlebrooks

Probate Clerk of Hempstead County, Arkansas.

By Arthur C. Anderson, D.C.

Prescott News

Walter Nelson Celebrates Birthday Anniversary

Walter Nelson celebrated his 8th birthday with a luncheon given by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nelson on Monday at their home. The guests were seated at a table set with colorful place mats and centered with red and green candle arrangement. The white birthday cake was decorated in yellow. Bean shooters were given as favors.

Invited guests included Kenny Formby, John Reynolds, Jimmy Franks, Larry Jameson, Richard Oates, Bob House, Mike Robertson, Blake Scott, and Roseone Franks. Games were played during the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Blanch Davis and daughters of Little Rock were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wynn had as their weekend guests Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Wynn of Sulphur, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wiseman and son of Houston have returned home after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Peachey.

Mr. and Mrs. Don White, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Easterling and other relatives have returned to Houston.

Mrs. N. B. Nelson of Searcy was the weekend guest of her son, Dr. N. R. Nelson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Walten, Mary Lawrence and John Randolph of Dallas have returned to their home after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hamby.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Davis and son Jeffrey have returned to Houston after being the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Davis and Mrs. Genie Cummings.

Mrs. N. B. Nelson of Searcy was the weekend guest of her son, Dr. N. R. Nelson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Watsen Yancey and Tommy of Little Rock have been guests in the home of Mrs. W. F. Spears and other relatives.

Miss Mary Nell Bolls of Little Rock has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bolls.

Mrs. Watson Porter and Mrs. Vern Buchanan were weekend visitors in Camden and El Dorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Duke, Reed and Judy of Midland, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pledger, Sharle and Meredith of Millbrae, Calif. have returned to their homes after

"I also resolved that we wouldn't aim at the kid audience. Sure, it's easy to develop a following that way, but kids are the most fickle audience in the world. Once they drop you, you're finished forever."

"So we aimed at the adults. But strangely enough, we started to develop a strong kid following anyway."

Captain Jack and mebbe 60 Mcgee braves, then, as one of these here noble palefaces I figger I got little to brag about. Matter of fact; I'm getting smaller by the minute."

Sam went along to Molly MacGruder's boarding house, farther up Oregon. Sebastian turned down Miner to a big, square building with a galleried porch reaching all across the front of it.

Sebastian climbed the porch steps, paused short of the door to shake the worst of the wet from himself.

Abruptly two hurrying figures climbed to the shelter of the porch. A girl's bright and breathless laughter lifted, followed by a man's wry comment.

"This may be all stirring adventure to you, Connie, but for a lot of discomfort in a world filled with very foul weather."

The girl laughed again. "Wasn't it field duty both you and Phil were howling for, Jud? Don't tell me you're losing your taste for it already!"

Ward Sebastian followed them into the big combined store and trading post, and at the near end of the counter, laid down his rifle and saddlebags. Several customers were lined at the counter and old Ben Stiles had left his high stool and ledger desk to help Jeff Chesbro take care of them.

The officer and the girl paused a little apart, waiting their turn.

Sebastian shrugged out of his coat, drawing a long breath of relief when finally free of its weight. In maneuvering his left arm he worked with care. Even so his lips tightened under the bite of a sudden twinge of pain.

With bent head and carefully probing fingers he explored the bandanna which bandaged the arm. It was stiffened with dried blood.

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Legal Notice

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PROBATE COURT NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the following Guardian, Administrators and Executor have filed their Annual and Final Settlements with the Probate Court of Hempstead County, Arkansas, for approval and confirmation, to-wit:

Annual Account of Sybil L. Sherman, Guardian of the Estate of Bruce Shelby Ford, an income tenant filed December 12, 1957.

First and Final Settlement of Mrs. S. F. Wallace, Administrator of the Estate of A. T. Wallace, deceased filed December 14, 1957.

First and Final Settlement of Lester Kent, Administrator of the Estate of Robbie Brink, deceased, filed December 26, 1957.

Annual Account of Jack Dale Pritchett, Executor of the Estate of Henry Oscar Pritchett, deceased, filed December 27, 1957.

And all persons interested in the above named estates are ordered to come forward and file exceptions if any they have within sixty (60) days from the date said settlements were filed